

## Message Text

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ACTION PM-05

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ISO-00 OC-06 CCO-00 INR-07 /029 W  
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R 131000Z JAN 78  
FM AMEMBASSY LOME  
TO CINCLANTFLT NORFOLK VA  
USCOMSOLANT  
INFO FPO NEW YORK NY  
USS INCHON  
USS SPRUANCE  
USS VALDEZ  
SECSTATE WASHDC 3380  
USDAO ABIDJAN

C O N F I D E N T I A L LOME 120

EO 11652: GDS  
TAGS: APOU MASS  
SUBJ: PORT VISIT OF US SHIP: MAIL ROUTING AND DELIVERY

REF: A CINCLANTFLT 091554Z JAN 78 (NOTAL)  
B USCOMSOLANT 072000Z JAN 78 (NOTAL)

1. ADDRESSEES ARE REMINDED THAT THERE ARE NO APO/FPO  
FACILITIES AT POST.

2. INCOMING PERSONAL MAIL ARRIVES BY DIPLOMATIC POUCH  
FROM WASHINGTON ON MONDAYS. TRANSIT TIME IS APPROXIMATELY  
ONE WEEK, WITH POUCH CLOSING IN WASHINGTON ON THURSDAYS  
AND SATURDAYS. BECAUSE OF NARROW TIME CONSTRAINTS,  
EMBASSY WOULD NOT RECOMMEND USING ITS FACILITIES FOR  
INCOMING PERSONAL MAIL. THERE ARE NO US AIRLINES THAT STOP  
IN LOME.

3. OUTGOING PERSONAL MAIL DISPATCHES ARE MADE ON  
THURSDAYS. EMBASSY WILL BE  
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HAPPY TO ASSIST IN  
OUTGOING DISPATCHES PROVIDED IT IS LETTER MAIL ONLY  
(NOT EXCEEDING TWO POUNDS).

4. EMBASSY LIAISON OFFICER WILL ARRANGE FOR ANY OUTGOING  
MAIL DELIVERIES. PALMER

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## Message Attributes

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